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SUBJECT: CONGRATULATORY MESSAGE

1. DELIVER THE FOLLOWING PRESIDENTIAL REPLY TO PRESIDENT MAKARIOS THROUGH APPROPRIATE CHANNELS AT EARLIEST OPPORTUNITY. BEGIN TEXT:

2. DEAR ARCHBISHOP MAKARIOS: ON BEHALF OF THE AMERICAN PEOPLE, I WISH TO THANK YOU FOR YOUR KIND MESSAGE OF CONGRATULATIONS ON THE OCCASION OF OUR ANNIVERSARY OF INDEPENDENCE. SINCERELY, GERALD R. FORD. END TEXT.

3. FYI. TEXT OF INCOMING MESSAGE AS FOLLOWS: DEAR MR. PRESIDENT: ON THE 199TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE OF THE AMERICAN NATION THE PEOPLE OF CYPRUS JOIN IN THE REJOICING OF THE AMERICAN PEOPLE. THE INDEPENDENCE OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA CONSTITUTES A GREAT LANDMARK IN THE HISTORY OF THE WORLD. MAY I CONVEY ON BEHALF OF THE PEOPLE OF CYPRUS MY GOVERNMENT AND MYSELF

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HEARTIEST CONGRATULATIONS AND WARMEST WISHES FOR YOUR PER-

SONAL HAPPINESS AND THE PROSPERITY OF THE FRIENDLY AMERICAN
PEOPLE IN PEACE. SINCERELY, ARCHBISHOP MAKARIOS. END
MESSAGE.

4. WE HAVE NO PLANS TO RELEASE THIS EXCHANGE, BUT HAVE
NO OBJECTIONS IF GOC WISHES TO DO SO. KISSINGER

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